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Columbus Police 131st Recruit Class Graduation

On Friday July 5, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. the 131st Columbus Police Recruit Class will graduate at the Columbus Police Academy after completing twenty-nine weeks of training they began on Monday December 17, 2018.

The class is comprised of fifty-seven officers; forty-two Columbus officers and eight outside agencies:

Chillicothe – one-This is the first Chillicothe Recruit to graduate from our academy

Delaware-two

Dublin – two

Grove City - four

Newark – one

New Albany - one

Reynoldsburg-three- The first Reynoldsburg recruits to graduate from our academy.

Westerville - one

* INTERESTING FACTS:

We have a recruit who is following his brother's footsteps into law enforcement. His brother was a deputy sheriff who passed away (not job related)

2 recruits are following their father's footsteps becoming a Columbus Police Officer.

1 recruit who was a nurse at OSU before entering the academy